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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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Title:

METHODS OF ADMINISTERING LIQUID

DROPLET AEROSOLS OF

NANOPARTICULATE DRUGS

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated June 17, 2004, and in the Advisory Action dated August 18, 2004, finally rejecting Claims 28-40, 42-45 and 51-59.

| [| 1 | Applicant | claims | small | entity | status. |
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[] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

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Respectfully submitted,

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